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PARIS CONFERENCE.

EXPERT ADVICE ON DISARMAMENT OF GERMANY

MEAGRE OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUES.

PARIS, January 24.

A communique states that at the first meeting of the conference M. Briand, who welcomed the delegates, briefly outlined the agenda and then proceeded to the question of disarmament where upon the following technical experts were introduced :- For France, the Minister of War, M. Barthou, and Marshal Foch, assisted by Generals Weygand and Nollet; for Britain, Field Marshal Sir Henry Wilson and General Bingham; for Belgium, General Marietti. Marshal Foch summarised in conclusion the report of the committee which met at Wersailles on Docember 30 and explained the present situation in Germany as regards troops and armaments. Generals Bingham, Nollet, and Marietti also spoke.

A communique states that the afternoon meeting lasted three hours. The conference decided that military, naval, and air experts should meet to-morrow under the chairmanship of Marshal Foch to draw up the measures which remain to be taken by Germany to secure complete execution of the Peace Treaty as regards disarmament. These will be reported to the conference.

To-morrow's sitting will be devoted to an investigation of the conditions in Austria and thereafter to the affairs of Greece and the East. LESS ACCOMPLISHED THAN HOPED.

PARIS, January 25. The participants in the conference are reticent but from the fact that the agenda is so arranged as to dispose of the least controversial questions first in the opening days, the meeting has apparently accomplished less than was hoped. It seems that the British favoured consultation with the Germans before confronting the latter with the final disarmament decision, but M. Briand opposed the other delegates and suggested a compromise, urging the immediate determination of policy but permitting the Germans to state their views regarding methods of carrying out the terms. It is generally considered that the last named is most likely to be the course subsequently adopted.

To-morrow's agenda includes the economic reconstruction of Austria in connection with which the French have prepared a scheme upon which the highest hopes of a favourable agreement are based.

FRENCH SATISFACTION.

PARIS, January 24. French sources indicate that French representatives are quite content with the progress made in the disarmament question. The opinion prevails that an Allied note will grant an extension of two or three months of the time within which Germany must conform to her disarmament undertakings. LONDON, January 24.

Sir Auckland Geddes is going to Paris to-morrow. Paris, January 24.

Mr. Winston Churchill has departed for London.

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INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING FEDERATION-CONFERENCE.

A SIGNIFICANT MEETING.

BRUSSELS, January 24. At the International Shipping Federation meeting here the British delegates are Messra. Havelock Wilson and Cuthbert Laws, representing respectively the seamen and the shipowners. The meeting to-day discussed the eight hour day. The meeting is significant because it is the first time in the history of labour that two international organisations of employers and employed have met to discuss terms of agreement relating to conditions of labour. It is possible that the conference will not arrive at any binding conclusions as a number of organisations of shipowners and seafarers are not represented, necessitating the calling of a further conference The main object of the two parties at present is to solve the difficulties which prevented the International Labour Conference, at Genoa last year from arriving at a draft convenant for submission to the parliaments.

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK.

EUROPE'S ENORMOUS DEBT TO UNITED STATES.

AMERICAN EXPERT'S VIEWS.

WASHINGTON, January 25. Dr. George Warren, professor of economics at Cornell, giving evidence before the House of Representatives ways and means committee, predicted Europe's debt to the United States in 1925 would amount to 20 billion dollars. "He said that European business men now owe American firm nearly four billions of dollars. Europe must continue to send her products irrespective of the United States import duties. He expressed the opinion that the rate of exchange would not improve yet and would tend to increase the European debt.

U. S. DIPLOMATIC SERVICE.

EMBASSY IN CHINA INSTEAD OF A LEGATION.

WASHINGTON, January 24. The sub-committee of the House of Representatives, in presenting the budget for the diplomatic and consular service for the ensuing fiscal year, recommended a reduction of 25 per cent. in the estimates on the ground that the emergency committee provides for an embassy in China instead of legation, also separate legations at Vienna and Budapest in view of the separation of the Austro-Hungrian Empire.

GERMAN SECURITIES IN AMERIC !

WASHINGTON, January 24.

The Supreme Court has upheld the authority of the custodian of allen property to seize securities deposited in the United States by German in surance companies to protect their American policy holders.

THE DOLLAR.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

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"INCOME-TAX DECISION."

Loxpox, January 24th. The Board of Inland Revenue has ruled that payments as compensation for loss on exchange so far made to officers and others stationed in countries where, the rate of exchange is unfavourable to Great Britain are liable to income-tax, and should be

The recipients' total assessable income will be reached by conversion into sterling as the current official rate of exchange of the gross total number of units (dollars on the China station and rupees on the East Indies station) actually ismable in respect of emcoments compally assessable to in-

The decision comes into force from April 1st, 1920, and applied to all such payments' already made, or which fall to be made. to both naval and civil personnel in respect of the period beginning then.

FORD MOTOR CO.

Loxpon, January 24th. In connection with the New York correspondent's report that Ford Motors are negotiating for a loan of fifty million dollars, the Times' New York correspondent says that financial circles estimate that the Ford Company need about \$25,000,000 to par off loans (27.000.000 from banks and £11,000,000 to pay taxes) and to supply additional capital, mainly because the Ford Co. have on their hands over £7,000,000 orth of unsold motor-cars for which there is at present, no market. The reduction of the price of Ford cars stimulated sales for a short time, but the works were closed at the end of the year.

SHR"AUCKLAND GEDDES.

LONDON, January 24th. Sir Anekland Geddes has arrived in

SUBMARINE DISASTER.

LONDON, January 24th. His Majesty the King has telegraphed to Mr. Walter Long: "I am deeply grieved to hear of the sinking of Submarine K5 resulting in the loss of the gallant crew. Please have my heartfelt sympathy conveyed to the relatives of the officers and men who perished."

TREPARATIONS CONFERENCE.

PARIS, January 24th. The Allied Conference opened in the historic Clock Hall at the Quai d'Orsay. It is the most important conference held since the Armistice. Marshal Foch and Field-Marshal Sir Heary Wison conferred prior to the opening which indicates that the question of disarmament will be probably be first

Paris, January 22nd.

A Havas message says:-The papers are laying stress on the hearty ovation which greeted the Premier after the eloquent speech in the Chamber (defining the French policy). The papers ascribe is to the frankness with which M. Briand souched upon the difficulties of the present time, and express satisfaction at the fact that the Premier is assured of the support of Parliament. M. Briand, they argue, will thus have full liberty and authority to speak in France's name at the next

Allies' conference. LONDON, January 24th. The French expectations of the outcome of any Allied conference were never higher than they are to-day.

The Echo de Paris says that Germany will be given until May 1st to fulfil her disarmament obligations, after which penalties will be exacted in the event of non-fulfilment of the terms.

The Matin asserts that Earl Curron vesterday, remarked to a French personage You will be satisfied with this conference." The Petit Parisien says that Mr. Lloyd George insists on the necessity of fixing the sum of Germany's indebtedness immediately and once for all.

The Journal declares that this augurs most happily for the success of the negotia-tions as it coincides with the view of the French Government.

RED PLOT IN GERMANY.

LONDON, January. 24th. In connection with the Berlin semi-official statement regarding the discovery of a Red army organization, it is pointed out here that reports of the discovery of a Red army in .. Germany constantly recur whenever there is a question of the disarmament of

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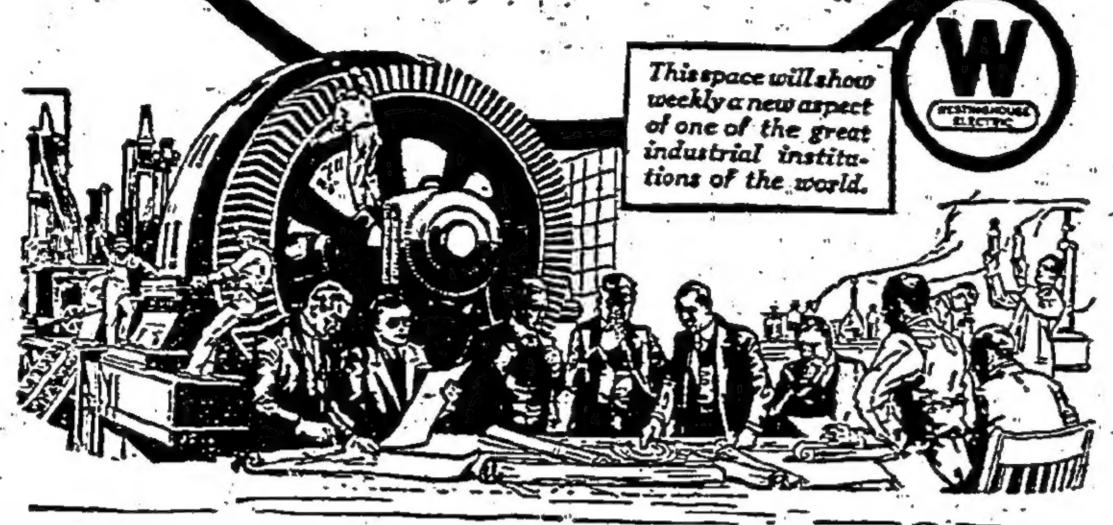
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THE EXECUTIVE AND REPRISALS.

MR. ASQUITE CALLS FOR IRISH ARMISTICE.

Mr. Asquith was the principal speaker at a London meeting, held in the Albert Hall, under the auspices of the Peace with Ireland Council. He was received with cheers, but had to meet many interruptions from Irish sympathisers who asked? What about 1916?" He proposed the following resolution:-

This meeting records its profound detestation of the murders of police and soldiers in Ireland, and deplores the failure of the Government to secure the conviction of the murderers and to provide adequately for the safety of its servants. It condemns as immoral and ineffective the policy of reprisals, which involves revenge upon the innocent for the sins of the guilty, and has resulted in the death of blameless men, women, and children and grave destruction of property belonging to the lawabiding population. It calls upon the Government to abandon all attempts to repress crime by crime, and demands immediate action to restore the supremacy of law and order and its reconciliation with this country. the simple proposition that the pri- from Dublin Castle, and I regret to series of more or less plausible irrele- reason to think that the method of

vancies. The first and perhaps the undiscriminating retaliation is most popular of them is, as it was garded in the highest quarters as, to put in the House of Commons by the say the least, a thing to be regarded Chief Secretary with a brutal direct- without undue disfavour.

time being directed. the suppression of the rising in 1916 Interruption and a voice: about Sheehy-Skeffington?") rising of 1916 was a case of open rebellion. Men were shot down on both sides in the streets, and, after it was over, those who were put to death-("Shame")-were, with single exception to which I am going to refer, never put to death except after trial, evidence given and crossexamined, too, and due sentence for the case of Mr. Sheehy-Skeffington

arrested. (Further interruptions.) Do you want me to speak to you or not? (Cries of "Yes.") Then listen. These three men were arrested, they were brought into the barrack-yard, and, by the order of the officer in command, without trial, indeed without charge, they were shot. (Shouts of "Murder.") They were murdered,

agree. - What was done by the Executive of the day? The officer who ordered the shooting was on a charge of murder. He was found : 8, and 9; guilty; and he was not shot because Denis, Henry. (A voice: "It was by their employers? your Government.") That Commission of Inquiry met in Dublin. It sat in open court for six days. It No, sir, wages are not paid, the tive report, I should like to read moved.

offence of murd r." (Cheers.) MINISTERS' RESPONSIBILITY. No, the policy of reprisals and still more its condonation by the Executive secure the pacification of Ireland and of the day is a new departure, and in view of the public declarations of Mr. Asquith, in the course of his Ministers and the open incitements speech, said: When one asks the jof that curious periodical called the assent of a great gathering such as "Weekly Summary"—(hisses) this to a resolution which affirms which is circulated among the police mary duty of a Government in the say, is subsidised by the British taxmaintenance of law and order is to payer, the officers and men of the set the example of even-handed constabulary and of the military justice, one has to encounter a whole forces have every right and every

ness which met, I need hardly say, We began in Parliament by asking with a resonant response, the chal- for an independent and impartial lenge" Are you on the side of order or inquiry. That was bluntly refused, are you on the side of the assassin?" and we were contemptuously rehuked I am not on the side of the assassing. for our disposition to swallow idle. Crime is crime, cruelty is cruelty, tales which came from tainted barbarism is barbarism, from what- sources. What happened? The ever quarter they proceed, and to evidence multiplied from day to day. whatever purpose they are for the It came from first-hand witnesses, of the highest and most unquestioned impartiality and competence. Chief Secretary told us, after creameries had been destroyed, there was not a tittle of evidence to connect the military or police with any act of destruction. We know-and we know it from his Dublin Castle, in his own office, a police report which proved conclusively its untruth.

> There is no disguising the fact that Ireland is in a state of civil war. What I want to appeal to you to say with me is let us have an armistice. Armistice is the first step, upon the road to peace. (Cheers) The resolution was carried.

HONGKONG "SLAVERY."

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the Colonies (Lieut.-Colonel Amery): heard the evidence of, I think, some children being regarded as adopted thing like forty witnesses. It daughters of the house. Their pronounced the acts to be illegal and status is well understood, and in made a most valuable and exhaus- cases of ill-treatment they are re-

one sentence of that report: 'The Mr. Walter Smith asked the Under shooting of unarmed and unresisting | Secretary of State for the Colonies civilians without trial constitutes the whether any report regarding the question of slavery has been received from the Governor of Hongkong; and, if so, if it is the intention to

Lieut-Col. Amery: -Yes, sir, a re-Lieut.-Col. Amery: Yes, sir. not ill-treated.

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publish the report?

port has been received." It is not in a form in which it could conveniently be published, I shall be glad to let the hon, member see it if he desires. Lieut.-Colonel J. Ward: Does the hon, member propose to do anything, as a result of the report, to wipe this stain from our name in the Far East? think the hon, and gallant gentleman was not present in the House when, on a previous occasion, I stated that the Secretary of State suggested the formation of a strong local Chinese Committee to look after these adopted children, and to see that they are

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> M. J. BREEN. Hon., Secretary. War Memorial Committee.

WANTED.

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THE PEKING-HANKOW LINE of the CHINESE GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS invites sealed proposals of bridge contractors for designing and building a new steel bridge about 2,800 meters in length scroes the Yellow River (Hwang-Ho). Proposals will be received. up to moon of June 30th, 1921, at the office of Peking-Hankow Railway, Peking, Chins, plans, rules and specifications can be obtained from the following offices:

Peking: Peking-Hankow Railway American, British, Belgian, French Italian, and Japanese Legations. Foreign: Chinese Legations, Washington, London, Brussels, Paris, Rome

and Tokyo. All applications for same must be accompained with pounds 6 for foreign countries and with dollars 30 for Paking.

PEKING-HANKOW RAILWAY ADMINISTRATION.

NOTICES.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LTD.

MATHEON & CO., LID., on FRIDAY, 28th January, 1921, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1920.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from WED-NESDAY, 19th January to FRIDAY, 28th January both, days inclusive during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors. MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE, Secretary

to the General Agents. Hoogkong, January 12, 1911.

THE HONGKONG CENTRAL ESTATE, LIMITED.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SEVENTH ORDINARY ment of Accounts for the year ending Subscribers to the Club.

31st December, 1920. during which period no transfer of to the Articles of Association.

shares can be registered. . By Order of the Board of Directors. MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE,

Secretary to the General Managere. Hongrong, January 12, 1821.

THE HONGKONG LAND RECLAMATION CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTIETH ORDIN-ARY GENERAL MEETING SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Mesers. JARDIST, MATERSON & Co., LTD., FRIDAY, January 28th, 1921, at 11.50 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from WED-NESDAY, January 19th to FRIDAY Japuary 28th both days inclusive during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

ending 31st December, 1920.

By Order of the Board of Directors. NOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE

Secretary, Hongkong, January 12, 1921,

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-THIRD ORDIN-

inclusive during which period no transfer of shares can be-registered. By Order of the Board of Directors.

MOWERAY S. NORTHCOTE Secretary. Hongkong, January 12, 1921.

THE KOWLOON LAND & BUILD ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY SECOND ORDIN-ARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices Victoria Buildings on FRIDAY, 4th February, 1921, at 12 O'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1920.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from WED NESDAY, 26th January, to FRIDAY 4th February, both days inclusive during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, MOWERAY S. NORTHCOTE,

Secretary to The Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ltd. General Agents for The Kowloon Land & Building

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INTIMATIONS

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ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that A the Directors together with the State admitting Ladies as Members &for Leagues.

Should there be a majority of three Basket Ball are cordially invited to The REGISTER of SHARES of the fourths (or approximately so) in favour attend. Company will be CLUSED from WED. Extraordinary General Meetings will NESDAY, January 19th to FRIDAY, be called to pass and confirm resolu-January 28th both days inclusive tions making the necessary alterations

By Order, L. S. GREENHILL

Hom. Secretary. Hongkong, January 21, 1921. .

THE HONGKONG, CANTON &

MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD. NOTICE TO SHARBHOLDERS.

THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, Hotel Mansions, on MONDAY, 7th February, 1921, at 11 a.w. for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing Directors and Auditors.

Company will be CLOSED from 25th January, to 7th February, 1921, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

JOHN ARNOLD,

Secretary. Houghong, January, 19, 1921.

S.S. "LIEN SHING." NOTICE.

THE HULL CO-INSURANCE ASSOCIATION to whom as underwriters of the Hull of the above ARY GENERAL MEETING of Steamship the wreck (now lying in SHAREHOLDERS in this Company about 20 fathoms near Cape Varella) OR the erection by Public Sub- will be held at the Offices of Messrs. has been abandoned HEREBY GIVES scription, of a building to be JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD., on NOTICE that such wreck will be the WAR MEMORIAL INSTITUTE | o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiv- 12 o'clock (noon) on the 28th day of and to be managed for the joint use ing the Report of the Directors togeth- January, 1921, by Messra, LAMMERT, agencies. of the Navy; the Army and Civilians | er with the Statement of Accounts for BEOS at their Sales Rooms in Hongthe year ending 31st December, 1920. | kong. Such cargo, as may remain in The REGISTER of SHARES of the wreck will be sold at the same be devoted to the erection of a the Company will be CLOSED from time, the proceeds of Hull and Cargo WEDNESDAY, "19th January to being kept separate. Any persons or FRIDAY, 28th January both days corporations baying any claims in respect of the proceeds of the cargo are required to send notice thereof to Mesers. LANMERT BROS. before the 4th day of February, 1921,

> Hongkong, January 7, 1921. THE NATIONAL LOAN OF THE

THIRD YEAR OF THE REPUBLIC!

OF CHINA, (1914) \$16,000,000 AND SUPPLEMENTARY ISSUE OF **\$8,000,000**

THE NATIONAL LOAN OF THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA, (1915) \$24,000,000.

On the 6th June, 1917, the undersigned notified Subscribers to the above two loans that in pursuance of arrangements made with the Chinese Government, the loan service as regards interest payments would in future be adequately secured."

loans it was impossible at the time! to make any announcement. Moratorium of-1916, affected the Loan Service, and, although drawings THURSDAY, 24th February, 1921. permitted, Redemption has been irregular and behind the scheduled

Arrangements have now made which will enable annual draw ings of each loan to be undertaken until their extinction, in 1924 in the case of the 4th Year Loan and 1925 in the case of the 3rd Year Loan. The Ministry of Finance will notify in due course the date of the draw ings to take place this year with date

and place of repayment,

F. A. AGLEN, Inspector General of Customs. Inspectorale General of Customs EKING, 14th January, 1921.

NOTICE.

MEETING of the Hongkong Basket Ball Association will be HOLDERS in this Company will be IN a GENERAL MEETING of the held at 5.30 p.m., in the Chinese held at the Offices of Messrs. JARDINE Members of the above Club will be Y.M.C.A., on WEDNESDAY January MATHESON & Co., LTD., on FRIDAY, beld at the CITY HALL, HONGKONG, on 26th, in order to elect officers for the 28th January, 1921, at 11.40 AM., for TUESDAY, the 1st of February, 1991, year and to make the necessary the purpose of receiving the Report of at 5.30 P.M. to consider the question of arrangements for the Basket Ball All those who are interested in

> N. TEESDALE MACKINTOSH. Present H.K. Basket Ball Association:

Hongkong, January 21, 1921. DIOCESAN BOYS SCHOOL

HONGKONG. A BOYS will be held at the School The exports, which are returned as

on TUESDAY, February I, 1921, at substantially complete except as to 8.30 P.M. Agenda-To discuss Rules & Suggestions drawn up by the temporary

Committee. To form an Old Diocesans' Association, to adopt rules and to elect Committee and Officers. W. T. FEATHERSTONE

Headmaster. Hongkong, January 24, 1921.

NOTICE.

NTIMATION IS HEREBY GIVEN that no DIVIDENDS will be paid on SHARES left standing in the name of the undersigned after 31st March Holders of such shares are accordingly

requested to have some transferred forthwith. G. C. MOXON,

co Mosos & Tatlor. 19, Ice House Street. Hongkong, January 22, 1921.

THE SHAREHOLDERS of the BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE DE CHINE are herewith informed that an interim dividend of Frz 20 .- per share will be paid from February 1st, 1921, on presentation of their certificates at the Head Office, in Paris, and at any of its

NOTICE.

Hongkeng, January 21, 1921.

LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE Co., Lad.

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OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that as from the let day of February CATHEDBAL MEMORIAL. next, Mr. WILLIA ERIC HALE, will take charge of the above Company's business in Hongkong, as Acting Local Manager. THE LIVERPOOL & LOSDON & GLOSE LISCRUSCE Co., LID.

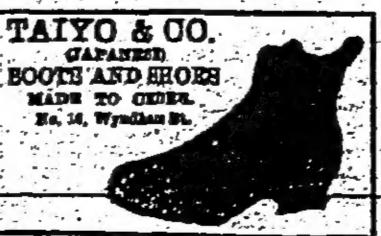
R.H.P. KEWLEY, Acting Local Manager. 22nd January, 1921.

REPULSE BAY HOTEL RACE WEEK.

TINNER DANCES will be held on the following dates:-In regard to the redemption of the WEDNESDAY, 23rd February, 1921 SATURDAY, 26th February, 1921. DEELEY DAY.

have been proceeded with as funds WANCY DRESS BALL AND SUPPER (Fancy Dress optional)

and Refreshmenta. (In view of the fact that the accom- DAY 30th, at 10.30 AM. modation will be limited, and in order avoid overcrowding intending patrons are advised to book early).



HONGKONG TRADE,

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

FORMER U.S. CONSUL'S REPORT.

In the course of a recent report

upon the trade of Hongkong in 1919, Mr. Geo. E. Anderson, the wellknown American . Consul-General. points out that the imports and exports rose by over 40 per cent. as compared with 1918, exceeding the billion dollar mark. For the first time in the history of the port comparative figures from official sources can be used, but they are still reach a value of about \$12,000,000; bullion and other treasure for the first half of the year amounting in import and export to something like \$75,0000,000; the value of the imports of sugar, or imports for the Army or Navy, or for the Colonial Government all such omissions totalling at least \$200,000,000. There has also been considerable trouble in the matter of exchange. The Hongkong figures are returned in pounds sterling, to which the Hongkong dollar valuations are reduced, at average rates by the quarter. These sterling returns have been reduced to American gold at the rate of \$4.75 to the pound sterling during 1918 and \$4.40 to the pound for 1919, these rates representing the average cross rate" between New York and London on a Hongkong basis. On this foundation, and with these limitations, the imports of the Colony are returned as valued at \$398,867,515, compared with a value of \$289,435,186 in 1918, the figures for 1919 being estimated at

\$200,000,000 and those for 1918 being something like \$100,000,000 GENERAL MEETING. of OLD below the actual value of the imports. treasure for the first half of the vear, were valued in 1919 at \$457,348,908 compared with a value of \$318.542,287 in 1918. The total imports and exports were valued at \$856,216,425, compared with a value of \$607,959,475 in 1918, or, with the omissions above noted in imports

INTIMATIONS.

and treasure, an estimated total of

\$1,056,216,425, compared with an esti-

mated total in 1918 of \$707,959,475.

HONGKONG ST. ANDREWS SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL ROBERT BURNS ANNIVERSARY DINNER, will be held at the Hosexose Horse, on TUESDAY, the 25th instant, at 8 o'clock, p.m.

Members desiring to attend are requested to communicate with the Cost of Dinner will be \$3.00 per bead exclusive of wines.

T. W. HILL,

Hon. Secretary. HONGEONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY. Hongkong, January 18, 1921.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. Open Billiard Championship of the Colony.

ENTRIES for the above Champion-ship close on the 26th instant to the Hon. Secretary. Entrance Fee \$2.00.

Competitors are also requested to attend at the Club on the 26th instant at 6 p.m. - R.C. WITCHELL Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, January 19, 1921.

VFICERS of the BRITISH MER-CANTILE MARINE, who would like to have seatsallotted to them in the Cathedral at the unveiling of the above Memorial on SUNDAY next, Jan. 30, at 10.30 A.M. should send in their names before WEDNESDAY, evening next, to the Chaplain, the SEAMEN'S

Hongkong, January 24, 1921."

HONGKONG WAR MEMORIAL

EX-OFFICERS wishing to attend the Service in connection with the unveiling of the above Memorial are requested to communicate as / soon as possible with :--BRIG, GEF, E. B. MACKAGHIER

Seats will be allotted to them in the Cathedral and they should wear Service Tickets \$5. -- per head including Supper | Medals, Ministure Medals or Ribands. The Service will take place on SUN-

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Honghong, January 24, 1921.

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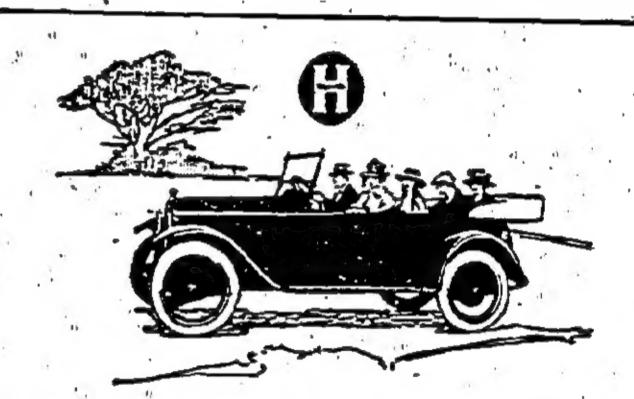
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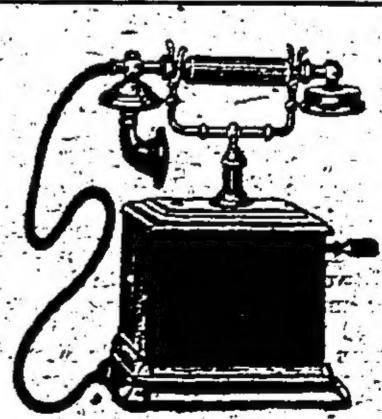
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Wickhurst Manor, Sevenoaks "Weald, Kent, wife of Eric Mac-.fadyen, of a son. McINTYRE: On January 9, 1921 at Fairy Bank, Airdrie, Scotland, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. McIntyre, a son.

MULLER.-On January 17, 1921, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Muller, a soni "

MARRIAGES.

WHITE-BURTON. - On Monday January 17, 1921, at Shanghai. David White, son of Mr. David White, Barrhead, Scotland, Kathleen Burton, daughter the late Charles Burton and of Mrs. Burton, Wigan, Lancashire. EKINGSLEY - BENJAMIN. - On Wednesday, January 19; 1921, at Nanking, China, Oliver Silas Kingsley to Daphne Hilda Benaman.

SANDBACH - HAYWARD. - On Wednesday, January 19, 1921 at Shanghai, Roland Miller, Sand-Bach, to Ella Dorothy Hayward. JACKSON - HARDINGE. - On January 19, 1921, at Shanghai, Percy Vernon Jackson to Frances Raymond Hardinge.

DEATHS.

KING.—On Dec. 10; at Addiscombe. pore, aged 86. THOMSETT.-On Dec. 11. Southampton, Mary

of Hongkong. " " Amoy, William Wilson.

China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JAN. 25, 1921.

HONGKONG "SLAVERY."

reprinted vesterday show that the was for Koltchak and for Denikin agitation regarding our local " slav- and would be for any new cham ery refers to two kinds, though pion who promised to restore Tsarnot all readers would notice that. ism or such other Russian govern For our part, we are less shocked ment as might promise to pay the by the one than by the other. The Tsar's debts to French bondhold evils of the "mui tsai" system ers: It is natural enough, though undoubtedly exist, though they are it is not something that is openly being exaggerated. As certainly admitted. President Wilson was the system has good in it, which roundly abused in the French is, naturally enough, ignored by Press because his doctrines threat those anxious to destroy it. The ened the security of these invest-China Mail at the moment is less | ments. In the same way it abuses indignant against the "mui tsai" the British Premier because of his system (which can be called either | occasional lapses into idealism, slavery or adoption, as you please) into business commonsense. than against the system of intellec- hates any statesman who seems of which the Hongkong Govern- nose to spite his face," a gesture guilty. If there has to be an some angry French writers. agitation, and we are to be consulted, we will request our readers of two evils to choose the bigger for immediate attack. Mrs. Haslewood wrote one letter to the local Press about child slavery in Hongright or wrong, she had the right union. It is concerned chiefly with Croydon. George King, late of to do so. She was not a govern- higher wages and shorter hours: P. & O. Co., Madras and Singa- ment' servant, subject to the de- This is quite right in the case of partmental bylaw which forbide factory labour, and other forms of communications to the Press. The manual work but a newspaper Susannah official warning to her husband, office is not a factory. Newspaper Thomsett, eldest daughter of late | Lieut. - Commander | Haslewood, | work is not work that can be stan-H. G. Thomsett, R.N., C.M.G., that unless he stopped his wife dardized. It will be impossible to Theatre beginning to-day is Sylvia

the country. opinion of the French people does not enter, either, at this stage. Perhaps the Quaid Orsay does not represent "the great heart of the people any more than these journalists do, or than Westminster at present represents British public

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FRANCE AND ENGLAND.

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with warmth, and in the interests

France and England, he made re-

ference to the vituperation of Eng-

land in some of the French papers

and denied that these writers really

or is not militaristic does not now

concern us, though we could ven-

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One thing is clear. Money talks, in France as 'elsewhere. It is impossible to ignore the fact that the Russian indebtedness to France has counted and is counting in French polities and in French opinion. They would sooner shake hands was actually at one time a proposal Chinese Government. to enlist the aid of German troops against the Russians. If Foch! Baltic "army" did not actually include Germans, we have misread The comments from Truth we the papers of the period: France

QUEER TRADES UNIONISM:

The National Union of Journal-Whether her views were ists, unlike the Institute, is a trade from pursuing the subject, he "grade" journalists on any sys-Home, was tyranaous and wrong, journalists themselves or to newsling annoyance to the Chinese com- apparently the National Union has standard of the Coronet.

munity," cannot be upheld. The been trying on something of the Chinese also are divided on the sort, to judge by an indignant proquestion of "mui tsai." In any test in the Daily Mail, which accase, a community that is "an-cuses it of proposing "to level noved" by opinion must learn not down the state of the profession by to be, if it is to continue under the a grading system suitable to a jam British flag. The China Mail be- factory or any kind of standardized lieves that it was a false excuse manual repetition work." So far anyway, trumped up as an after- as the Northcliffe Press is concernthought. We suspect that the ed, we are told that the Directors

Government itself was "annoyed." have intimated that they would at the prospect of getting more "shut down" before they would work to do as a result of such ex- vield. To show that this is not posures. It thought it had more bluff," they mention that events power than it has, and it abused have proved that the temporary its power. It is now in a hole, a stoppage of a virile deep-rooted had hole. We ake it this case newspaper for weeks or months has will force the issue as to whether no perminent effect upon its posi-this Government can be allowed to tion. We would have liked to be continue its attempted policy of told more about these "events, suppressing opinions it does not which are unknown to us. We like. We say "attempted policy" rather hoped the N.U.J. would per- said that the body of the victim was for the reason that it is a policy severe with its demands, and so found on the morning of January 3 that has very evidently failed. The get the Northcliffe Press to fulfil lying by a side path leading down Government, as we pointed out at its threat; but in the same article from the east gate of Government the time othe China Mail, we best we see a remark that they were House towards the Helena May Inlieve, being the only paper to refer "withdrawn.". So we are easy stime. On examination, it was to it then lacked the foresight with minded. Much as we dislike the found to bear marks of violence on which to see that such an action company, we agree with the the neck, indicating that death had must operate against its own policy Harmsworthy Press, that such been caused by strangulation. There is a clerk in Holy Orders. He is the

more" ardently pursued, than the journalists. It says :job of getting even. There used to ... At the moment the outlook for dragging of the body. It would be Lot No. 1321, contiguous to the be talk of banishing a China Mail newspapers, with certain excep- necessary to depend on circumstantial plaintiff's property. He acquired it writer. He would have devoted tions, is dark indeed. Unless there evidence to bring home the charge. the rest of his time to making the is a great fall in the price of paper, Government sony. It is quite scoppages of some journals and Local knowledge, discreetly amalgamations of others will be utilized in the right quarters at inevitable in 1921."

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The St. Andrew's Church Men's annual meeting on Thursday, January 27 at 8.45 p.m.; in the Church responsible official surry he ever Hall.

Notice is given to mariners by no similar attempt at Bolsbevik Mr. Arnold Hotson, Harbour Master at Canton, that the light-keeper's but and platform attached to Fen Shui Tou Beacon have been destroyed by fire. Pending re-erection, a fixed Red Light will, as heretofore, be exhibited from the Dolphin Beacon Lord Derby spoke about France which remains standing. and England last month to the

Manahester Chamber of Com-One case of paratyphoid fever, Indian, was reported yesterday. Last week five Chinese died from influenza. two from cerebro spinal fever, one from diphtheria, one from small-pox. and one from plague. Two cases of enteric fever, one British and the other Indian, and one case diphtheria, Chinese, were also re-The question whether France is

Lady Stubbs has kindly consentture the assertion offhand that ed Ying Wa College in the Y.M.C.A.

The American Federal Wireless Telegraph Company of San Francisco is reported in a cable from Peking to have signed on the 8th inst. a contract to erect a powerful main wireless station at Shangbai, with sub-stations at Canton, Shanghai, Peking and Harbin, at a total cost of \$4,200,000. These stations will be under joint Sino-American operation, and controlled by the Chizotungpu. with the Germans than bow to the which will cater for official and Russian villains who threaten to public business. After ten years the repudiate the Russian debt. There whole system will revert to the

It is understood that further retirements from the Flag List of the Royal Navy, either voluntarily or by the operation of the non-service rule, will take place shortly. When this happens, certain officers who took a distinguished part in the war will receive a step in rank. Amongst them is Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick C.T. Tudor, who was Third Sea Lord in 1914-17, and afterwards Commander-in-Chief in China, and who is now at the head of his rank and due for promotion to Admiral in the next vacancy. At the top of the rear-admiral's list is Sir Roger Keyes, while the senior captain is now Ernest C. Hardy, formerly Assistant Hydrographer of the Navy. The advancement of these three officers would leave at the top of their respective lists Vice-Admiral Chief in China; Rear-Admiral Sir battleship "Ramillies."

KINEMA NOTES.

The feature offering at the Coronet Stephen, aged 58 years, formerly Government's excuse that Mrs. dard wage, nor can the rank and taining pictures that has come this indications that he had recently en of the 1.-C.S. "Suiwo," and Haslewood's "letters"—there was, file of merely capable journalism way in many a day. The rest of the latterly of the Ewo Hulk "Chin it appears, only one-were "caus- expect the rewards of genius. Yet programme is up to the usual high

SUPPRESSED SCREAM.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE CRIME.

CHARGE "AGAINST COOLIE.

The trial of Tong Tim. a coolie employed at Government House, on the charge of murdering an amah, Chan Check, in a bathroom at Government House on the night of January 2, began yesterday afternoon before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the Magis-

Mr. Hazelrigg, assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution; Mr. F. C. Lyson for the

Outlining the case, Mr. Hazelrigg of "hesh." The Haslewoods are grading "cannot be done, so far were signs also that the body had been getting a bit of their own as our own job is concerned. In- dragged some distance. These signs 1318, which he acquired about back. There is no job which cidentally, the Daily Mail's last were traced back into Government February 12, 1919. provokes more enthusiasm, or is paragraph may interest more than House itself. There were no eye-The victim was a widow, 44 years

of age, and had been employed, with her three sons, at No. 56, the Peak. The prisoner, Tong Tim, had been employed for ten years at Government House as a house-coolie, his duties being to keep certain rooms on the first floor in order. He slept in the servants' quarters.

days. She had no other friends pound were damaged.

ten shares among them. About II o'clock on the morning of Sunday, January 2, the deceased after expressing her intention of going down to Government House to see the prisoner, left the Peak. She had in her possession not less "than \$30, given her by her son. She tried several times that day to see the prisoner and ultimately succeeded. She was lest seen alive at 8 p.m.

Evidence would be called to show that the crime was committed in the bathroom attached to the supper room to present the prizes at at Government House a part of the Quakerism is not the religion of the Belilios Public School 'prize' building to which the prisoner had no distribution to be held at Queen's right of access. But the servant The extent to which some College on February 1, at 11 a.m. whose duty it was to inspect the sup-Mrs. Severn has kindly consented per room and lock it at night placed. to perform the same office for the the key in a position which must have been within the knowledge of the auditorium, on January 27, at 6 p.m. prisoner. This room was usually unoccupied between 8 and 9 p.m. and the servants were principally occupied at that time in the dining-room. The prisoner, however, would not be working then.

covery and, hearing nothing more, plaintiff's land.

he found the body of the deceased. The police were notified and Inspector Appleton discovered the trail by which the body had been dragged from Government House. Certain traces of blood were the principal indications of this. The trail was traced back, the Government House grounds, across a grass plot, along the verandah, into the supper-room, and so to the bath-room in the passage of which was found a small pool of blood. The Crown suggested that the prisoner extinguished the street lamp before he removed the body, so that it might not light up his dark tual "slavery" to the imposition lack the courage to "cut off his Sir Alexander Duff, Commander in- deeds. In the bathroom was found narily would not take him. Witnesses would say that he seemed frightened acquainted with the deceased, Inspector Appleton took him to the Mortuary to assist in the identification. He exhibited great reluctance to go near the body and when he saw it denied that he knew whose body it Breamer in "Respectable by Proxy." | was. The prosecution suggested rob-WILSON.—On January 7, 1921, at would be superseded and sent tem that will be fair either to The title suggests all sorts of clever bery as the motive of the crime. possibilities, and the picture it is said, When arrested the prisoner had one STEPHEN. On January 18, 1921. It shocks us far more than the paper readers. You cannot pay does more than live up to them. It is dollar in his pocket and 43 dollars hidat Chinkiang, Captain Robert 'init tsai system does. The genius and character a "stan- pronounced one of the most enter- den in his clothing. His hands bore

> gaged in a struggle." Dr. H. H. Scott, Superintendent of the Victoria Mortuary and Govern-

BUNGALOW CASE.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

SUMMARY COURT ACTION.

age alleged to have been done to adjacent property by the building of Bau Tsu Zung, 53 Modhurst College, a bungalow, was set for hearing in the Summary Court this morning before the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice Wood. The plaintiff is the Rev. Father A. Henriques, who is suing Mr. George Theodore Lam for \$205. The plaintiff's soliciturs are Johnson, Stokes and Master; the defendant's are Lo and Lo. Owing to the indisposition of Mr. Lo the case was postponed and a new date for hearing will be set on Friday.

The plaintiff resides at Shiu Hing in the Province of Kwangtung and owner of Kowloon Inland Lot No.

The defendant resides at Victoria. witness, either of the crime or of the and is the owner of Kowloon Inland about November 5, 1919.

The plaintiff alleges that in 1918 he built two bungalows with a compound and boundary walls. completing them about March, 1919. In 1920 the defendant commenced building operations on his lot. The plaintiff was entitled to have his compound and boundary walls supported by the soil and land adjacent to his compound. The defendant, he says, The deceased and the prisoner had wrongfu'ly removed the support of been on friendly terms for about ten the soil and omitted to shore up or years, and the former had been in the otherwise secure the plaintiff's comhabit of visiting the prisoner, at pound and boundary walls. As a Government House, usually on Sun-I result, he says, his walls and com-

House. There were also business concrete surfacing of the compound relations between the two of them. has subsided and cracked and requires About 15 months ago, being short of taking up and relaying with cement money, the prisoner had formed a to the thickness of 4 inches, and reloan association. There were 21 surfacing over an area of about 50 shares in all: of these the deceased square yards, including the repairing held two shares; and some of the of the surface channels affected servants of Government House held The boundary wall for a length of 60 feet or thereabout has cracked and is leaning outwards slightly towards the defendant's building, and Certificates : the cracks require to be filled up with cement. The defendant, he says, has erected within 10, feet of the walls a building, part of which within such 10 feet extends to a lower level than the foundations of the plaintiff's boundary walls; omitting, in breach of the ordinance. giving him due notice.

The defendant denies that the plaintiff was or is intituled or acquired any right to have his compound and boundary walls incumbered with buildings supported by the soil and land subjacent and adjacent thereto. Zien Zeu Men, 128 Medburst Col-He admits he made excavations on his land, but denies that he made them adjacent to the land of the plaintiff without leaving proper support for the plaintiff's land or his compound and boundary walls, or that the plaintiff has suffered any damage thereby.

The defendant denies that he was Between 8 and 9 p.m. that evening, guilty of negligence and says that the Capt. Warner, private secretary to alleged damage was not caused by the Governor, was in the lounge when any of his acts, but from the nature he was disturbed by a noise which he of the plaintiff's soil, which consists took to be a suppressed scream. He of fillings, and from the weight of sent a servant to try and find out what | the buildings in the defendants land it was, but the man made no dis- causing compression of the soil in the

Capt. Warner let the matter drop. Further, he says that the damage Bong Zung Sung, 143 Public School The prosecution suggested that this was caused by the plaintiff's scream was the prelude of the crime. negligence in building the boundary The following morning, about 6.45 | wall on the extreme edge of the o'clock, a lamp lighter going his concrete foundation next to the Ede Foh Zien, 152 Public School for rounds to extinguish lamps, noticed defendant's lot, instead of allowing incident particularly attracted his at- both sides. By reason of this faulty tention. On his way to the next lamp | construction, he says, rain percolating through the surface of the defendant's land caused the wall to settle on one side only, towards the defendant's

ment Bacteriologist, was the first wit? ness for the prosecution. He said he made a post-mortem examination of the deceased at 9.30 a.m. on January 3. There were horizontal marks round the neck, a large bruise on the head, a small punctured wound over the right eye-brow and other slight marks of injury. There were abrasions and much dirt on the fronts of Chiang Ta Wei, 217 Griffith John human hair which on a microscopical both thighs, the directions of the ment has been obliged to plead that does not seem unworthy to Cecil Lambert, Director of Personnel examination was found to be similar scratches being from above downat the Air Ministry; and Captain in every-respect to the hair of the wards. The face was cyanosed and Aubrey Smith, commanding the deceased. The prisoner's strange the tongue was protructing. The in- Koh Kwan Seng, 219 Griffith John manner on the morning after the ternal signs showed that death was crime attrached the attention of his due to asphyziation; the organs were fellow-servants; he was also seen otherwise healthy." The injuries did with a cloth in the vicinity of the not appear to have been self-inflicted. supper-room where his duties ordi- From the appearance of the thighs the body had been dragged face down- Li Yen Tze, 221 Griffith John Colwards and head foremost. Death and excited. As he was known to be must have occurred about ten hours Teng Peh Lien, 222 Griffith John Colbefore his examination." He had made the comparison of the hair found with Wu Chang Ching, 223 Griffith John that of the deceased and found it similar. Various blood stains and clots found on leaves of trees, in Government House, and on the prisoner's coat had proved on examination to be human blood.

Mr. Sutton, Public Works Depart-House and its vicinity; Mr. J. W. going to have it, but it does mean that Deskin custodian of Government your lungs are threatened, and it is just House, explained the arrangement of the various rooms and corridors.

The hearing was adjourned.

HONGKONG UNIVERSITY

MATRICULATION EXAMINATION.

LIST OF THE RESULTS.

The results of the Hongkong University Matriculation Examination An interesting suit involving dam- held in December 1920 are as follows: SHANGHAL

Wong Zung Pan; 54 Medhurst Col-

Dung Tse Tse, 57 Public School for Oong Teh Zee, 59 Public School for

Chinese. Wang Sze Yuen, 60 Public School for

He Cheng En, 61 Public School for Chinese. F. Z. Chun, 64 Public School for Chinese. Z. Z. Dzun, 65 Public School for

Chinese. C. Z. Ma. 66 Public School for Chang Nyee Tsung, 69 Ellis Kadoorie

Wong Chang Woo, 72 St. Francis

Victor Framjee Viccajee, 74 Thomas Hanbiry School for Boys. Koo Tuh Yong, 77 St. Francis Xavier's.

The following Candidates have failed in the Matriculation Examination. but are eligible for Senior Local Certificates: lan Tsung Kya, 51 Medhurst College.

Yang Chi Tshang, 52 Medhunst Col-Shou Piso, 50 Public School for

Chinese. Lai Shaw Wei, 63 Public School fer Chinese. Mo Ding Yuan, 73 St. Francis Xevier's.

A. Lewis, 75 Private Study.

Zi Ing San. 78 St. Francis Xavier's. TUCHANG. Li Lo Chin. 315 Wesley College. Su Chung Hui, 317 Wesley College. among the servants at Government In particular, he alleges, cement In Tong Pang. 318 Wesley College. Candidate Cheng Ching 311 is

entitled to a Senior Certificate. HANKOW. Chao Ching An, 301 Griffith John Liu Fong Wu. 306 Criffith John Col-

The following Candidates have fails ed in the Matriculation Examination. are eligible for Senior Local

HANKOW. Chang Li Wen, 300 Griffith John plaintiff's compound and boundary Li Kwei Fong, 305 Griffith John Col-Wong Ai Chiang, 308 Griffith John

JUNIOR LOCAL. SHANGRAI. Tseng Sau Sai, 121 Nich Chiti Knei Public School.

Yui Zong Chen, 122 Nieth Chih Kuei Public School. Kwan Pah Chien, 124 Medhurst Col-

Sung Tchah Stang, 135 Ellis Kadoorie School.

Yang Zur Pao, 139 Ellis Kadoorie School. Woo Leh Dee, 142 Ellis Kadoorie School, Distinction in Chinese.

Wong Vong Ming, 143 Public School for Chinese, Distinction in Chi-Chang Chi Piao, 145 Public School

for Chinese. King Yin Quen, 146 Public School for Chinese. Wong Chin Sou, 147 Public School for Chinese.

for Chinese. Gee Waite, 151 Public School for Chinese.

that lamp 305 was out. The unusual the foundation to project equally on Chang Hung Nien, 153, Public School for Chinese, Distinction in

Chemistry. Zao Zou Ting, 154 Public School for Chinese, Distinction in Drawing, Koh Che Ling, 156 Public School for Chinese.

Chinese. Li Ding Fong, 158 Public School for Chinese. Ho Hsiao Hsen, 160 Public School

Woo Tao Han, 157 Public School for

for Chinese. Yeh Mee Zung, 161 Probe School for Chinese. HANKOW.

Chen Chi Tsan, 216 Griffith John College, Distinction in Mashe-

Hwang Shih Ping, 218 Griffith John

College, Distinction in Arithmetic. Chinese, "Mathematics, and Biblical Knowledge. Loo Kuo Ping, 220 Griffith John Col-

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INDIAN ARMY REDUCTIONS.

NATIVE CONTENTMENT BETTER THAN COSTLY ARMED FORCE

MILITARY CIRCLES CONDEMN CHANGES

DELHI, January 24. In connection with the Indian Army reductions it is understood that proposals have been sent home for the immediate employment of the officers who will be demobilised by the formation of special units which will be available for service overseas and will be maintained at the expense of the Imperial Government. Meanwhile the 39 regiments of Indian cavalry are being reformed into 21 by a ces of amalgamation. After the completion of this scheme infantry battalions will be demobilised... The Air Force is being reduced by two squadrons and the remaining force will be improved. Military circles generally condemn the weakening of the army which is said to be purely the outcome of the financial position coupled with the Indian outcry at the heavy cost of the army. Indian politicians insist that the contentmen of the Indians is a bigger insurance than costly armed forces.

SUBMARINE DISASTEK

K5'S ALLEGED ABNORMAL DIVING QUALITIES.

FORMER TROUBLES.

LONDON, January 24. . A former member of the crew of the K5, in an interview, declares that the submarine caused trouble at Rosyth last May while diving. The sub marine seemed to take a charge and went to the bottom at a steep angle. They were then down two hours. Her diving qualities were generally described as abnormal. He also revealed that the craft recently gave trouble away." between Chatham and Portsmouth.

BELGIAN LOAN FLOATED IN AMERIC L.

NEW YORK, January 24.

The \$30,000,000 loan negotiated by the Belgian Government with the Guaranty Trust Company and Messrs. Morgan was over subscribed. The loan was issued at par interest at 8 per cent.

CORK MAN'S APPEAL

EXECUTION POSTPONED THREE TIMES.

LONDON, January 25.

Murphy's execution has been again postponed, the third time, until February 2, in consequence of the hearing of his appeal not having terminated. ..

[A London cable dated January 17 stated:-The High Court is hearing an appeal by a Cork man named Murphy against a court martial death sentence for participation in an ambush. Leave to appeal was egranted by the Chief Justice after a strong agitation on behalf of Murphy whose innocence is asserted. The Court adjourned the application until January 24, suspending the execution, which should be carried out on January 19, until January 26. The grant of an appeal against a com martial is without precedent.]".

A FATAL SPARK.

MANY KILLED IN BIG "PETROL TANK CAR EXPLOSION.

MEMPHS, January 24.

It is believed that over a score were killed and many injured in a explosion of a big petrol tank car which threw flaming oil on the houses of negroes, starting a serious fire. Many occupants of the houses are missing. A spark from the chisel of a workman caulking the tank is said to have caused the accident.

AUSTRALIAN SHIPPING STRIKE OFF.

MELBOURNE, January 24. A mass meeting declared the shipping strike off. A similar meeting is being held in Sydney.

Mass meetings of stewards at Sydney and Brisbane decided to

MEXICAN OIL.

BIG INCREASE IN EXPORT TAX

WASHINGTON, January, 25, . An increase of approximately 30 per cent, in the export tax on oil is provided for in the petroleum tax revision proposals of the Mexican Government. It is expected that the increase will become effective in February unless producers can convince the Government that the tax is

ANNIHILATION OF POLICE THREATENED

There has been's recrudescence of the riotings which occurred in the Fyzabad district last week. At present 10,000 demonstrators and are pouring in with the alleged object of annihilating the police. A special troop train is being dispatched from Lucknow.

AMERICAN MEAT-PACKING INDUSTRIES.

The Senate has passed a Bill for the Federal regulation of the meatpacking and allied industries.

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'MUI TSAI" SYSTEM AGAIR

MORE ALLEGED CRUELTY.

CHILD DOMESTIC INTERROGATED.

Another case of cruelty to a musi tsee was heard by Magistrate Lind- 11.30 a.m. sell at the Magistracy this morning.
The defendant, a Chinese woman living in Cochrane Street, said that she had never inflicted unnecessary suffering on the child, adding: "He face was the same as when she first came to me some years ago."

Dr. W. B. A. Moore, Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital deposed that the child was brought to the hospital on January 17, with scales on her face and head. She had a boil on the back of the right wrist and some dry scabs on the upper part of the left arm and on the right thigh. On the right leg he found an lively editorial comment, adequate abcess, while on the left thigh were other scabs.

By the Magistrate: The witness could not say how these injuries were caused. They might be due to scratching. They were all old scars. The Magistrate: Could they be aftributed to illness?-No, there were

account for the scratches. The witness said that he had examined the girl for scabies but could find no trace of the desease or any other skin disease. The girl was fairly well nowished.

no traces of any skin disease to

By the Magistrite: The witness was unable to form an opinion as to how the scars were caused. Inspector McKay, who prosecuted said that the girl was found crying

in Cochrane Street and taken to the Central Station by a Chinese gentle-In the course of a statement made at the station the child alleged that the defendant made her work from 7 a.m., to 11 pm. marks on her head, face and body, she said, were caused by the

defendant who often beat her, sometimes with firewood and sometimes with the back of a chopper. The mark on her mouth, she alleged, was made by the defendant with a pair of pincers. The child ended her statement by saying that she had risen late that morning owing to the fact that she had stayed up until 2 a.m., knitting a scarf. "When I found that was late," she had said. "I was afraid to face my mistress, so I ran

The defendant, when arrested the girl, and claimed to have bought her for \$5 some years ago. child's mother is dead. Her father was still living in Hongkong, but was out

of work. The Magistrate: Is child capable of giving evidence?-Yes.

Let us hear her. The girl who was blind in one eye, looked very dirty and unkempt she walked into the witness box. Although she looked much younger she gave her age to the Magistrate as 13 years. She said she was mui

The Magistrate: Who to?-(No Is your mistress kind to you?-The master is kind to me, but the

mistress is not good. How long have you been with her?-A long time. How is she unkind to you?-(No

You will not have to go back to her place, so you need not be afraid to speak the truth.—She used to beat me with a rattan and sometimes with

firewood. How many times during the month?-More than once, but I cannot remember how many times. The defendant: You stole 50 cents

from me?-I did not. How could I? The Magistrate: How did you get those scars?-I scratched myself and the skin broke. Those on the body I mean.

The Magistrate said that he did not think he could convict the defendant on the girl's evidence. Dr. Moore had said that the scars could have been caused by scratching, an the child had told the Court that she had caused them herself by scratch-

Inspector McKay pointed out that in her statement at the station the child had said that the defendant beat her with a rattan and a chopper.

The Magistrate said that as she refused to repeat that statement in Court, he had no option but to discharge the defendant on the evidence before him, but he would direct that the girl be taken care of by the

SHIP OWNERS SUED.

Hearing of the suit of Captain Harold Percy; Robinson, former master of the steamer " Haitan," against the owners of the vessel, the Man Wing Steamship Co., Ltd., for \$1,000 damages for alleged wrongdismissal, began in the Summary Court yesterday afternoon before the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice Wood.

The plaintiff was represented by Mr. Hind of G. K. Hall Briggon & Co.; the defendants by Mr. Lewis of Johnson, Stokes and Master.

The plaintiff alleged that he was entified to \$1,440, being three

months' wages at \$480 a month, in hen of notice, but he waived \$440 in order to bring the case in the jurisdiction of the Summary Court. He was dismissed on November 4, 1920. The " Haitan" runs between Hong-

kong and Singapore. The owners of the vessel were represented in the proceedings by their agents, Mesers. Snowman & Co. The case was adjourned until Friday at

"THE YELLOW DRAGON."

QUBEN'S COLLEGE PUBLICATION

AN INTERESTING NUMBER.

The January number of The Yellow Dregon, the school publication o Queen's Oblege, which has just been received, is bright and interesting, and fifled with entertaining accounts of the activities of the students," contains numerous newsy paragraphs. descriptions of the sporting contests that the school's teams have engaged in, and full accounts of recent coffege functions, including the theatrical performances given for the benefit of Famine and War Relief hunds. educational walks that have become to popular, and various other events Not the least interesting is the report of the debates held by the Class Debating Society. The claim " that European dress is superior to Chinese dress" was defeated by 16 votes to

The affirmative, however, won on the question that "the first has educational significance," it being argued convincingly that all students ought to learn boxing. Similarly the affirmative won, by the overwhelming vote of 17 to 4, in the debate on the question that "Co-education is a good

CURRESPONDENCE

"ADVERSARIUS" REPROVEI BY SCIENTIST.

To the Editor of the " China Mail.21

Sir,-My attention-has just been called to certain remarks of "Advarsaria" appearing in your issue of the 22nd inst. This is his second attack cannot understand why "Adversaria" should be so insulting and ungentlemanly. He once confessed that he was troubled with a disordered liver, and maybe he is still suffering from the same fell disease? He writes,-"I would like to see those cordial acknowledgments, and their dates. If this local "scientist" cares to let us see the originals, the China Mail will publish them in full." may point out that the several actinow ledgments referred to are sealed official documents received these great and famous Universities and Scientific Institutions during the months of December 1920 and January 1921, and provided "Adversaria" is willing to publicly apologise for his childish indiscretions, I shall be glad to let him see all these acknow ledgments, if he will walk into my Office at any time to suit his convenience. However, I don't think space could be found in the China Mail for the publication of all the

kind and cordial acknowledgments which I have received up to date. and besides I do not wish to bore your readers with their publication or to give "Adversaria" the chance of again calling me the conceited

But why doesn't he, and why can't he relish the idea of a Chinese becoming a Scientist? Yours truly.

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York Buildings . Hongkong, January 24, 1921.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

ANNUAL RIFLE MEETING 1921

All Comers' Competition. This will be fired at King's Park Range on Saturday, February 5. Squadding tickets have been issued and Competitors will fire at the times tated thereon.

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9.30 a.m. to 3 p.m.: Members of the H.V.D.C. requiring tiffin on the Range on Saturday, 5th or Sunday, 6th February are requested to notify the Quarter-master not later than noon on Tuesday, February 1. Tiffins and refreshments will be obtainable for cash only.

G. F. E. RAPSON, Bt.-Major Adjutant, H. K. V. D. Corps. Hongkong, January 25, 1921.

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time of the finel dividend for 1919, the Goods are landed. the total distribution being 10 per cent. free of income tax, against 3 Instructions are given to the contrary beper cent. for 1918. The accounts fore Noon, To-DAY. were highly satisfactory. The gross receipts were roundly £2,446,000, 1921, will be subject to rent. against £2,070,000, an increase of Damaged Packages most be left in the to £961,000, against £620,000 in after the goods have left the Godowns. 1918, but the reduction of Excess Profits Duty from 80 per cent. in 1918 to 40 per cent. in 1919 reduced the expenditure by £455,000. The principal items of increased expenditure are: Additional payments to staff and other expenses in connection with the war, £109,000; additional expenses attending the maintenance of cables, £33,000; and war: in Netherlands India, amounting to £115,000, which added together, represent £257,000.

The war taxation in Netherlands india was unexpectedly; imposed to-1914 to 1919 inchesive. It has been January 22, 1921:egreed with the Inland Revenue Authorities here that the company occurred, and, applying this principle United F. C. 11 which, there will be a harther relief Staff & Depts.10 4 1 5 19 18 of 6s. in the & for income tax, Club Res......12 4 0 8 14 21 net" payment for the Netherlands Punjabis12 3 0 9 13 59 Indian war tax only £31,000. The Club de Rec. 11 1 2 8 11 26 behance we now hope to deal with is £'1,041,000, plus the balance of £41,000 brought forward from 1918. making rogether £1,082,000. Out of this we have distributed £300,000 in payment of the 10 per cent, dividend, and now propose to transler to owing to the uncertainty prevailing 250-133. regarding taxation liability, and to the! The best breaks were: large expenditure required in the near future for developing and improving the company's service in the Far East. The additional cable which we have arranged to lay between Madras and Singapore, of large carrying capacity, is now in course of manufacture, and is expected to be laid and opened for traffic early next year. The existing two cables between Madras and Penang are, at times, taxed to their utmost capacity. You will remember that the Great Northern Telegraph in addition to the large-increases in entitled to the same. other directions. When the Great "The resolution was unanimously Northern route is again working we adopted, and the dividend of 10 per shall be relieved of some of the traffic, cent., tax free, paid for year ended, Branches and but in any case, the new cable will December 31, 1919, approved. benefit the telegraphing public, and The retiring directors, Mr. J. therefore, we have no hesitation in Denison-Pender, M.P., and Sir A.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNERS

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS FROM EUROPE AND STRAITS.

THE Company's Steamship. "TAMBA MARU," at Electra House, Finsbury Pave- having arrived from the above Ports, ment, London, Sir J. Denison-Pender, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed

G.B.E., K.C.M.G. (the Chairman), that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk to the HONUKORO & The Chairman, in moving the adop. Kowtoox Water & Godowx Contray's tion of the report and accounts, said Gonowas at Kowloon, where each consignthe delay in holding the meeting did ment will be sorted out mark by mark not prevent the payment at the usual and delivery can be obtained as soon as Optional Goods will be carried on unless

Goods not cleared by the 29th January.

\$376,000, notwithstanding the fact Godowns for examination by the Conthat in 1918 the revenue was signed's and the Co's, representatives £562,000 more than in 1917. For at an appointed hour on TUESDAY and the current year the traffic was being FRIDAY. All claims must be prewell maintained. There had been a sented within ten days of the steamer's considerable addition to the working arrival here, after which date they cannot and other expenses, which amounted be recognized. No claims will be admitted NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA,

Agents. Hongkong, January 34, 1921."

SPORT.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

2nd DIVISION RESULTS.

Below is the table of results giving wards the end of 1917, and made the positions of the Clubs in the retrospective from 1914. The pay- Second Division of the Hongkong ment covers six years' war tax from Football League up to and including

shall receive relief for Excess Profits St. Joseph's --- 11 10 0 1 35 6 20 foon Wharf and Godown Company, Duty in England, at the rates applie- R.G.A. Res .-- 11 9 1 1 40 10 19 Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from able to the years in which the liability Oilers United_12 5 3 4 25 16 13 the wharves delivery may be obtained, 4 21 20 13 to the Netherlands Indian war taxa- South China... 12 5 2 5 23 18 12 unless notice to the contrary be given tion, the company is relieved to the "Carlisle" 7 . 5 0 2 17 6 10 before 20th January. extent of £70,000: in-addition to Kowloon F.C. II 3 4 4 16 17 10

BILLIARDS.

HO KOM TONG CUPS.

Last night's play at the Palace the general reserve fund £350,000; Hotel, Kowloon, in connection with also to make a further provision of the tournament for the above cups £200,000 on account of investment resulted in T. Reeves (-150) defeatfluctuations, and carry forward ing Simon Tse Yan (-125) by £232,000. Your directors consider 250-246; and R. A. Tyrrell (-100) advisable to retain this large sum beating F. C. Coleman (-100) by

> Reeves, 22, 18 and 17 (twice). Tse Yan, 40, 29, 24 and 16. Coleman, 17 and 15.

TO-NIGHT'S GAME To-night the following matches will be played:

6 p.m. J. Griffin (-50) v. Sergt. 9. p.m. E. F. Medina (-150) v. I. H. Tait (-150).

Company's through route to the Far sidered it advisable to inform the East materially assisted in carrying shareholders that all the new shares T the China and Japan traffic up to had been allotted, with the exception 1914, when it became interrupted and of 2,165 representing the fractional! is not yet restored. Consequently, shares. These would be disposed of, our cables are still carrying this traffic for the benefit of the shareholders

incurring the expenditure for the addi- Leppoe Cappel, K.C.I.E., were retional cable between Madras and elected, and the auditors re-appointed. Singapore. Although the issue of the . A cordial vote of thanks to the new share capital was outside the ac- chairman, directors, general manager, cours for 1919, the directors con- and staff terminated the proceedings.

a world Message

LEA AND PERRINS

NOTICES TO CONSIGNERS

MOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship "MASANIELLO"

From GENOA, NAPLES, BOMBAY RANGOON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are bereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the whatves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 19th January.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th inst. will be subject to reat. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned an

or before the 4th prox, or they will not be recognized All broken, chaied and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the

25th inst. at 10 a.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersign-

ed by DODWELL & Co., LID. Hongkong, January 20, 1921

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

THE Steamship

"RIOJUN MARU."

From JAPAN.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Clubs. P. W. D. L. P. A. P. Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-

No claims will be admitted after the 9 Goods have left the Godowns, and all amounting to £13,000, making the Indian R.C. ... 12 4 0 8 14 30 -8 the 26th inst., will be subject to rent. 8 Goods remaining undelivered after All claims against the steamer must

be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 5th prox, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns.

where they will be examined on the 26th inst., at 10 a.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned

DODWELL & CO., LTD. Hongitong, January 20, 1921.



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national prestige. And inasmuch as of the lofty aim of the League. factory settlement.

of those outlaws who had burnt our see to the future development and suance of the terms of mandate over other hand, actuated by a spirit of in a position to publish the results of Consulate at Hunchun and killed and eventual perfecting of the League, the group of islands assigned. I am co-operation, have been transferring wounded our countrymen there. As The functions of the League are per- happy to be able to state that it is suitable contingents to Chientao for soon as order and security in that formed by a Council, "Assembly, the determination of the Government the purpose of clearing the locality district are assured, for which the Secretariat and various expert com- to spare no efforts in the discharge of outlaws and guarding against Chinese Government is primarily missions. The Council met eleven of this noble mission of civilisation future disturbances. The Japanese responsible, these troops will, of times in the course of last year at in promoting the welfare and Government, therefore, in pursuance course, be withdrawn, as announced. Paris, London, Rome, San Sebastian, development of the people of these of their declaration, have decided to on the occasion of their despatch. In Brussels and Geneva. The As-territories and thus fully to deserve withdraw their troops. At the fact, with the exception of small sembly was in session for a month the trust that the League members same time steps are now being taken detachments, these troops have from the fifteenth of November, last have placed in Japan. already been withdrawn.

justice."

which follows.

I desire first to dwell on questions has a fair promise of life and relative to the enforcement of the development, several Treaties of Peace. The the Budget now submitted to your draft adopted by the Conference of place in the aspects of affeire since independence of the Par Lastern Floques, and My Min Mits Boomer.

year, at Geneva, the seat of the "Concerning other questions, the League. What is worthy of special Government, actuated as they are by not: is that at these sessions of the most sincere desire to further im. Council and Assembly, representaprove the existing friendly relations tives of the member States have with foreign countries, are prepared invariably evinced a willingess to put to treat them equally with right and forth their efforts, for the cause of the League instead of confining their A very lengthy address upon inter. attention to the interests of the national conditions and the League individual nations they represented. of Nations was delivered by the It is principally due to the spirit of Foreign Minister, Count Y. Uchida, | concert and harmony manifested on these occasions that the League now

German, Austrian and Bulgarian ments provided for in the Peace and Great Britain had been led to Treaties have all been in force for Treaty, the Military Commission of the conclusion that the Anglo- Saghalien, we had to keep sufficient some time now. Diplomatic repreture the League, since its organization pointed to Germany and Austria. In tions into the practical phase of the Covenant of the League of soon as the situation around by the Covenant of the Covenant of the League of soon as the situation around by the Covenant of the Covenant of the League of the continuous time cont resuming normal relations with these question. As a matter of principle Nations, was not entirely consistent. Habsrovsk began to show a degree London: Mrand Mrs Carrall, Mr Paracountries, we are making efforts in disarmament is to be welcomed for with the letter of that Covenant, and of stability, we withdrew our troops vicini, Mr E. J. Ogborns, Lieut, Boswell. concert with the Allied Governments | the general welfare of the human that they accordingly recognized the from that district in September last. for the enforcement of the Peace race, and the Japanese Government principle that, if it was said the Treaty. Among countries which are paying special attention to the agreement was to be continued after have come into existence as a result | question. The matter, however, has July, 1921, it must be in a form Siberia underwent various vicis Mr L. J. Blackburn, Inspector Gordon, of the great war, and to which we very important and complex bearings not inconsistent with the Covenant, situdes during the course of last half Mr O. Lunditad, Mr W. Henderson, Mr did not hitherto send any diplomatic for each nation, and it is to be appre- Notification was conveyed in a note, year. There were in existence, since R. S. Sinclair, Inspector and Mrs Orant, when the Code ish segations in Poland, the may be found impossible unless all to mide the language Comments of the last spring, four local governments rington, Mr and Mrs A. W. Hui, Mr

sentatives in Czecho-Slovachia and Court of Justice was resolved upon League Covenant as declared in the November last what is called the

decision to establish an International Nations. enlarged with time. that lofty aim of the League.

Peace Treaty, which is based on

principle of non-anhexation,

former German possessions in Africa and the South Pacific, together with the territories in Asia, which longed to the former Turkish Empire, have been placed under administration by mandate. So far as former German possessions are concerned, mandatories and their assigned territories were decided upon at the petition among themselves, and by to express my appreciation of the Supreme Council of May 7, last year. further strengthening their friend- valuable efforts of these people, On that occasion the whole group ship and concert, it is a matter to be which I hope will not be allowed to On July 10th, 1920, when the of former German islands lying north deeply deplored, especially by Japan slacken in future. German Treaty took effect, the of the equator was assigned to the who, as her neighbour is peculiarly I have to dwell here on an un-League had a membership of forty- administration of Japan as a manda- interested, that the complete and fortunate event which has occurred seven States, representing three tory. When, at a later date, terms peaceful unification of China is not in our relations with the United fourths of the world's population, and formulae of the mandates came; yet in sight. Last summer when States, Last November at the general Now that Austria and Bulgaria have up for determination, difference of the political situation in China election of the United States, the been admitted into the League, even views arose between the Japanese began to give signs of further State of California passed through if we temporarily abandon the hope and British Governments on the con- complication, and later when the initiative Alien Land Law. The By courtesy of the Japanese of Russia, which is still in a chaotic struction of the Treaty stipulation things came to such a pass that contents of the law are now generally Consul-General we are enabled to condition, coming in, it is sincerely relating to the terms and formulae of the northern part of China be known and may need no explanagive the text of an address to the to be hoped that Germany, if the mandate over former German came involved in armed conflicts, tion here. In a word the new land Diet delivered at the end of last her willingness to fulfil international Colonies lying south of the equator, the Japanese Government, besides law is the cognate law of 1913 made week by the Premier, Mr. K. Hara: obligations, especially those entailed Agreement could not be reached for early warning their officials and more drastic and severe. That it It need hardly be said that con- by the Peace Treaty, is generally a long time. A frank exchange nationals in China to refrain from is aimed at Japanese and is unsequent upon the Peace Conference recognised, may before long be given of views, however, between the any acts or activities that might be just and discriminatory, cannot be of 1919, the responsibilities of our admittance likewise. In this connect Japanese and British representative regarded as taking part in political denied. The regret which the country have greatly increased as tion the Japanese Government, in tives who attended the first session strife, published a declaration on Japanese Government expressed at regards its contribution to the peace common with the Allied Govern of the League Assembly happily their policy of scrupulous impartiality the legislation of 1913, is, therefore, ments, very keenly desire that for the resulted in a composition of difference. and their attitude of strict fairness. still more keenly entertained by them "Accordingly united efforts of the peace of the world and the general While agreeing to the terms of the The situation in China is now at at this new legislation. This question whole nation are more than ever welfare of humanity, the United States mandate of "C" class as proposed turning point, and the awakening of of land law, however, is not one of required for the growth of the nation- will see its way clear to join its efforts by Great Britain, the Japanese the people is indeed worthy of note. to-day or yesterday. It has a long al resources and enhancement of the with other nations for the realization Government came to a full under- That the path of China is beset history and complex and delicate standing with the British Government with difficulties should command bearings. It is impossible to solve it is an undeniable fact that the ex- Although the efforts of the that Japan should make a declara- the deep sympathy of the people the problem from the standpoint of ternal development of the country League for the past twelve tion to the effect that the acquired and Government of Japan, while one side alone. Principally for these depends "upon the growth of the months have mainly been devoted rights of Japan in the former German China's development is a thing reasons the difficulty arising between national strength, the Government to the perfecting of its organiza. Colonies, south of the equator, should very eagerly hoped for by Japan and America from the legissconducting affairs of State in tion and strengthening of its foundar be fully respected, and that their agree- which stands in such close relation- lation of 1913 has remained unaccordance with this principle, so far tion, it has also exerted itself for the ment to terms of mandate over these ship with her. Not only for China's settled to this day. In dealing as the circumstances and finances of enforcement of the Peace Treaty and islands should not be taken to signify sake alone but for the general wel- with the matter, therefore, the the country permit. As to foreign for international finance, economics, acquiescence on the part of Japan fare and peace of the world, it is Japanese Government have from relations of the country, I am happy labour, communications, sanitation, in any discriminatory and unfavour- devoutly to be desired that China to say that we are on good terms statistics, and like cultural works, able treatment of her nationals in should speedily recover peace and Not only antecedent to the passage with all foreign countries. True The League is as yet at an initial the said islands. Accordingly when unitythat there are now, as at other times, stage in development, and, moreover, the terms of the "C" class mandate; some questions pending, such as the the international political situation were decided upon on the 17th Dec. Californian and Chientao questions. has not quite regained permanent at a meeting of the League Council, the Far East and especially In the case of the Californian ques- equilibrium since the war. It is to be the Japanese representative made a China, I deeply regret to have to tion, however, the authorities con- expected, therefore, that the League declaration on the lines of the above refer to a calamitous event which cerned, both American and Japanese, should still leave something to be des- understanding and reserved for coccurred at Hungchun last Octoare now engaged in a discussion fired, both in organization and work. Japan the right to resume negotia-; ber. On the details of the event thereof in the most friendly spirit, ing, and that each one of the members tions with the British Government and the circumstances which conthe government anticipating a satis- states may be dissatisfied in one concerning the treatment of Japanese, strained the Japanese Government by such unfortunate and unpleasant respect or another. It is indeed subjects in the territories affected, to despatch troops, both for self-About Chientao, the question of inevitable that an international under. Terms and formulae of mandates defence and for the protection of sentative to open a discussion with the despetch of our troops to that taking of the magnitude of the over former German possessions in Japanese residents, a public state- the American authorities. Frank district is only a temporary measure League of Nations should fail to the South Pacific having now been ment was made at the time. These and free exchange of views has since demanded by necessity and self- attain perfection in a single day, but determined, the Japanese Govern- Japanese troops have proven equal been going on on the various points. defence in the presence of disturbing all nations of the world should feel ment are about to enter upon formal to the task expected of them, and calling for examination and debate. conditions as evidenced in the acts it jointly incumbent upon them to control and administration in pure the Chinese Government, on the

the Japanese Government has been Government, for the tranquillity giving careful consideration to the League of Nations. They entered into a conference with the British; of views on this matter took place, clarations, withdrew their troops of Article 6 of the existing agreement of the Alliance, it was decided to address to the League Nationals a joint notification to the In regard to the reduction of arma- effect that the Governments of Japan lish segations in Poland, the may be found impossible unless all to guide the Japanese Government in at Vladivostok and other centres. Norenzen, Bev. B. G. Parsons, Rov. and Greece Minister having recently been nations act in one accord and in good revising the agreement is at present Time gradually became ripe during Mrs Fillerton, Mr Spettigue, Mr and Mrs. sidered necessary also to have repre. The project of an International being paid to the articles of the these local political bodies, until in Smith; to Singapore: Mr Roger, Mr the subject of serious study, regard last fall for the amalgamation of Stonnard, Mr. D. M. Mckay, Mr. A.

International jurisconsults held last the conclusion of the present agree. Republic. Chita was chosen for the year at the Hague. The plan is ment.

course, highly desirable, and the with the high ideals of the League of Republic claims to stand for anti-

cised on behalf of the League, have reached between the respective bank- The political stability of Russia in each been assigned to expert com- ing groups and Governments con- general is earnestly hoped for by missions which have been appointed cerned, and how the new organization Japan as her good neighbour. It is as auxiliary organs of the League was fast taking shape. Last October the keenest desire of the Japanese Council. The field of activities of representatives of various banking Government that this troubled area the League will thus gradually be groups, met in conference at New should be unified on a sound basis York, signed the final agreement and be restored to complete order. Before passing on to another and discussed the policy of the The historic good relationship betheme, I may be permitted to state Consortium and other details of tween Japan and the United States that the aim of the League of world practice, thus bringing to com- needs no reiteration at this time of

sistent with the policy followed in the future are necessarily increased, both in closeness and imthroughout by Japan, and that it is dependent upon negotiation and co- portance from a political, econogreat nations, invariably to make itself and the Chinese Government, it of view. It is true that this friendly endeavours in hearty co-operation may not be out of place now that the relationship is not without occawith other powers, for attainment of Consortium has been completed to sional mingling of unpleasant-The next question of the mandate economic; in other words what it But I am firmly of opinion that funcalls for few words. Under the aims at is to assist and facilitate the damentally relations between Japan economic development of China and and America are as cordial as ever, thereby to contribute to the happiness and that there are no insurmountable and interest of the Chinese people on obstacles, such as might disturb the one hand and to afford equal opport- basic factors which govern that nations concerned on the other.

In reviewing the conditions

with a view to a proper settlement of this unfortunate affair. It is also As to revision and renewal of the their intention to provide fully, in Anglo-Japanese agreement of alliance, co-operation with the Chinese of the districts affected question with the view especially to for the protection of Japanese its relation to the Covenant of the subjects. With Czecho-Slovak troops withdrawn from Government, and a frank exchange consistently with their repeated deboth in London and Tokyo. In view, from that region. In districts around to be provided for, and in Habarovsk, which is a point of strategic import-

seat of central government, and the now being submitted to the several That this agreement of alliance various political bodies were relegated to the position of local autonomy. It Court is expected to be established at to the peace, stability and welfare of was also decided that a Constitutional no distant date. The passing of this the entire Far East is fully realized Assembly should be held on 25th resolution is the most important of by both nations, and not only is a January. As a result of this amalgathe results achieved at the first continuance and preservation of the mation the Provisional Government session of the League Assembly, wholesome spirit of this Alliance for at Vladivostok turned its authority That international conflicts should to a long time to come desired by the over to the Central Government as great a degree as possible be most thoughtful of the two peoples, about the middle of last December. settled by peaceful means is, of but it is, I am sure, in perfect harmony The Government of the Far Eastern

communistic democracy and has de-Court for that end is most welcome. Concerning the organization of the clared itself in favour of friendly Questions of amending the League New Consortium, looking to financial relationship with foreign countries, Covenant, of economic blockade as a aid to China, I had the privilege at especially with its near neighbours. principal means of punishment by the the last session to state before you What the new Government may do League, and of mandates to be exer- how a clear understanding was in practice is for the future to reveal.

peace and the promoting of interpletion the organization of the day. The relations between the two
national co-operation, is quite conConsortium. While the activities nations, however, have to-day greatly operation between the organization mic, social and various other points make a remark on its mission. The ness; that is almost inevitable in the object of the Consortium is purely complexity of international relations. unity for the private enterprise of relationship. Moreover, I am happy to notice that in recent years popular At a time when the Powers inter- understanding between the two ested are thus joining their hands to peoples has been greatly helped by promote the welfare of the Chinese close and frequent contact of influenpeople by avoiding needless com- tial men of both countries. I desire

of the law did they take the proper and well advised steps, but recognising, from the higher standpoint of Japanese-American friendship and with ample regard to the close and important relations of interest between the two nations, the urgency of final solution of the difficulties caused events, they caused their repre-Though it is regretted we are not yet these discussions, it is the sincere desire of the Japanese Government that a solution compatible with the honour and interests of both coun-

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

tries may finally be arrived at.

Per ss. "Glanada," on Saturday :-Mesers Edwards, Williams Gabbot, Simmonds, Mrs. M. Charles and

Trans Baik- S. Flacks, Miss C. T. Tarswell, Mrs L. alia, the Japanese Government. B. Akin. Miss A. B. Reynolds, Miss A. Vladivostok, whence the menace to Henry Fearon, Mr Y. C. Lee, Mr Harry peace was still felt, and where the Schoenhaut, Mr E. T. Gibt, Mr F. Mcsafety of many resident Japanese had Grath, Mr and Mrs W. H. Hainess, and Mr Maurice Adam.

DEPARTURES.

Mrs Whoeler, Mrs Ireland, Rev. Backhouse, Mr Goldberg, Lieut. B. Peter, Lieut T. C. Atkin, Mrs Monk and child, Mr T. F. Hough, Mr J. E. L. Bullock, Rumania, expenditures needed for both by the Council and Assembly, joint notification and to many im- Amalgamation Assembly was held at large. Mr and Mrs Ingram, Mr Mr Mr. A. ton, in view of the fact that foreign- last our pose have been inserted in chiefly on the basis of the original postant changes which have taken Chief. This Assembly declared the Mr. Chatham Mr and Mrs Ingram, Mr Brenen: to Marseilles: How ers have length; for yours in order to that purpose have been inserted in chiefly on the basis of the original portant changes which have taken Chita. This Assembly declared the Mr and Mrs. W. Chatham, Mr and Mrs.

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and the South-western Customs Service in their refusal to comply with the Military Government demands.

foreign vessels declining to convey Cantonese goods from here unsigned to the interests of the country.... and unpassed by Customs authorities representing Peking, he said that such ing the efficient organization of the a measure would only hart foreign Customs Service and the good work and not native trade, as the present Chinese-foreign trade is in favour of that this change of control from the

Camon simply because of her intention to replace Peking in the supervision of the Chinese Maritime Cus- for the service of various foreign tome. Canton is not airaid of a boy- obligations, it is not intended that the cost, anyway, according to a leading interests of the creditors should be inazitator in favour of the Military Government action, who declares from the South-western Provinces will that Canton and other parts of the South-west may live without foreign burden which will form, as hitherto products coming in.

This man cannot conceive the foreign countries will close the door

Those who are supporting the Military Government in its action to take over the Customs Service on February 1, again pointed out to the Canton Times the statement recently issued by the Constitutionalist authori-

The action of the Military Government is justified by its rights according to the statement. The Customs Service is, after all, but one of the government services of the country and its officiale, the public servines. Since the Military Government exercise absolute and exclusive control, It is understood that the Cantonese de jacto as well as de jure, over all will back up the Military Govern- affairs, administrative, financial and ment, if foreign governments and otherwise, in the Constitutionalist interests decide to support Peking Provinces, it is an anomaly and an absurdity that the Chinese Maritime Customs Service should function in these provinces under the orders of an When a prominent Cantonese was authority at Peking and collect from advised of the possibility of some these provinces revenue which is diverted to uses elsewhere madignant

The Military Government, recognisrendered to China; holds the policy Peking authority to the Military Government will not in the least affect the present personnel acknowledging its authority nor the rules of the service. As the Customs revenue has been hypothecated at different times

any way jeopardised. The revenue bear a proportionate share of the a first charge.

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PROJECTED DEPARTURES	Feb. 10.—W. L. West Ivan. 12.—N. Y. K. Suwa Maru. Mar. 9.—N. Y. K. Fushimi Maru. 11.—N. Y. K. Toyama Maru.
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How a gang of twenty armed rob- and 4 cwts. of coal, were each sen-Hongkong as passengers, and when the vessel was on high seas held up the crew and passengers while they stole property and money valued at

\$10,000, was told by Tang Kau, the to bring the legislation dealing with master, of the steam launch. "Kung- the drug within the provisions of the hong," which arrived in harbour Hague Conference and Treaty of yesterday on the return trip from Versailles occupies over twenty pages Shanmi, in Chinese waters.

Tang said that he left Hongkong at 6.20 a.m., on January 22, with 120 passengers and 30 tons of general cargo bound for Shanmi. About 2.30 p.m., as the vessel was passing the asolated Tangfupai rocks in Chinese waters, twenty of the passengers sud- hard labour. The drug was condenly produced revolvers and held up fiscated. the others on board. While a few stood guard, the others ransacked the launch, breaking open all the passengers' luggage and stealing money and junks, and went ashore. Tang took jewellery to the value of \$10,000, the launch into Shanmi where he re-From Tang's cabin they took two re- ported to the Chinese authorities volvers and a Winchester tifle, and there. A report was also made to shout, \$1,000 in Chinese 20-cent the local authorities and a police picoes. Taking charge of the launch, launch has cone out to investigate Japan Honolula and RAN FRANCISCO. Beiro Nera the robbers headed her towards Fan- There is no information as to what

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THE DENNISTON PLAYERS.

SUCCESSFUL FIRST NIGHT.

SHE WALKED IN HER SLEEP."

The Denniston players opened their season at the Theatre Royal last night, presenting to a good house, the farce "She walked in her sleep," in a most successful manner. The piece is a farce of the first order with a laugh every second, "The main characters are a husband with a wife who still; trusts him, another husband whose wife knows him, a sympathetic mother-in-law, a doctor, a servant and a somnambulist. The husbands and the doctor are early on the scene having met at a hotel, the first was to deal with some business and the other, to practise his art on a sleep walker. The two partners receive a tube of explosive for analysis but as one of them is studying a contract the tube is purloined by a scantily dressed lady who comes in by the window. It is the sleep walker, but Bruce hasn't seen her. Discovering the loss of the tube he seeks the help of Manie, offering a reward of \$500 if she finds it. She asks what it is but he can't tell her. In fright he disappears. The next to encounter the sleep walker, who has a distressing habit of clinging to perfect strangers is Charles Prescott. She walks into the room and embraces him and all his efforts to get rid of her are unavailing. Mother in law comes in and finds her, but she doesn't make a fuss and assists her distressed son. Then, while the stranger is still in the bed-room Prescott's wife comes She insists on entering room "but" has conveniently departed, leaving behind, however, her hat. This Mrs. Prescott finds, but her suspicious questions are answered by her husband telling her that its a birthday present for her. So the husbands' look for the tube, while their wives search for the owner of the hat. Needless to say there are heaps of entanglements be straightened out for instance the doctor endeavours to instil in the mind of the servant the rudiments of

real one is awakened and handed to her with a string on her ankle. Miss Florence Chapman as the servant was a great success and but improved the reputation she made at the Companys last visit for clever acting. She received able support from Mr. W. Vaughan Morgan and Mr. W. D. Howard, the latter as the doctor. Miss Warda Howard had the part of the trusting wife and with Miss Pressy Preston as her companion in sorrow, contributed largely to the success and the piece, Mr. Leo Kennedy was well suited in his part as Charles Prescott as was Miss Valentine Sidney as Katherine

sleep-walking, but his efforts are

hardly a success, especially as the

To night the Company play "The Eyes of Youth."

MIROVA AND PODOLSKY

MATINEE TO-MORROW.

Incre.

. THE PROGRAMME.

The cordial reception given to Miss Vera Mirova, the classic dancer, and Mr. Leo Podolsky, at their empty houses in the vicinity of the to-morrow afternoon at 5.30 at St. escaped to an adjoining house by the given in Hongkong have made such detective and arrested hiding under 2 matinee. The programme to be given coats he had stoken while others had is as follows: . .

1.-Bach-Liszt.....Lamentations and ends of their shoes. Crucifix Leo Podolsky. 2.-Menuet Paderewaky,

(INTERVAL 3 MINUTES.) 3.-Anitra's Dance Grieg,

4.—Chopin...Nocturne & Polonaise, 5.—Valse (by request).....Chopin, INTERVAL.

among flowers growing on the isix weeks. " edge of a pond. In the water she suddenly sees reflected the lowering clouds of an approaching storm and trembles with fear. When rain falls she seeks happy mood returns.

7.-(a) K. Szymna- S Prelude d-moll owsky ... Prelude c-moll (b) N. Medtner The lyric page
The fairy tale

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and teasingly harefuses. After- in case there were others. wards he relents and wishes to oin-when she in turn refuses to dance with him.

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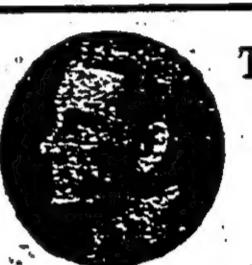
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ARMED ROBBERY TRIELS.

afternoon five Chinese were charged with having committed an armed robbery in a house in Cuttlefish Lane, West Point. According to the police, the accused were arrested in two appearance at the Theatre Royal robbery. One man artempted to use some evenings ago, adds interest to a revolver but was disarmed by " Tel. 2143. 10, Queen's Rd. Central. the return performance they will give | Chinese detective. The prisoner then Andrew's Hall. Few entertainments verandah. He was followed by the an impression as the first appearance bed. The major portion of the stolen of these distinguished artists, and property was discovered in the priconsequently there promises to be a soners' possession." One man was very large attendance at to-morrow's scrually wearing three of the silk

stolen jewellery hidden in the toe

The Magistrate committed the accused to stand their trial at the . Vera Mirova. Criminal Sessions. In the second case, the five Chinese

arrested by the police in a teashop Vers Mirova. in West Point, where they had met to discuss plans for an armed robbery. Leo Podolsky, were charged with the unlawful possession of daggers, gags, and Tel. 2170. 60, Queen's Rd. Central. Vera Mirova. materials for making gags. The Magistrate convicted all the accused 6.-Humoresque ... Dvorak ... Vera and sentenced the first two to 12 Mirova. months' hard labour, one to 6 months. Tel. 2203. 28, Queen's Rd. Central. A dragon-fly is gaily fluttering one to 3 months, and the other to

Seven members of the crew of shelter and as the clouds roll an unlicensed fishing junk charged away and the sun re-appears her with the unlawful possession of Tel. 254. Bt. Queen's Rd. Central. taels of prepared non-Government opium and 60 taels of raw opium, were this morning remanded by Magistrate Orme until Friday on the application of Mr. J.

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